



...You're most kind.

...Ahm, That's the Captain of the 1st Company for you. As long as you're here, we can settle things quickly!



...Right. I apologize.

What are you saying?
This is a magnificent duty as well

I'd reckon the 3rd Company would be more than enough to subdue enemies of this caliber.

However, Commander. Why... are you working together with me to subjugate such low hazard monsters?



No!!

This mission is more important than anything else!

Rather than deliberately spending two days to hunt a Barometz and a Hippogriff, if there was some other more important mission to do first, then...

I just... had this question in mind.

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It seems
he's going
back home
tonight, so
we're short
on time
now!!

We have
to make
first-class
cuisine with
these things
before tonight
to please
Astra-kun!!



That I'd
prefer you
never mention
that man's
name in front
of me.

...I
told you,
didn't I...
Commander
Oz?

...What
did you
say... just
now...?



...This news
is most
unpleasant.

So that
guy... is
coming
to this
town...?

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DAY15

F(r)iend







According to appraisal results, it didn't seem that rare of an item, so I inherited it.

This is something I found when I investigated an ancient ruins in the East, long ago.

Haha, you think?

But that's... an amazing looking sword, wouldn't you say? It's perfect for Astra-sama!



Ah... That's... a most grateful offer, but...

It's been a while since I held a sword, so how about I teach you some things as a warmup, Rose?

WOULDN'T IT BE CURSED THEN...?

Ha ha ha

You need to recycle stuff you can still use, you know!

There were mostly adventurer equipment dropped from exploration. I'm using this gratefully.



Noah.

Hmm... After you deal with that first, then.

Well then, how about swinging practice elsewhere then?

Hm... Is that so? It can't be helped.

Right now, the training grounds are being used by another unit, so...

Plus, I too have another mission I must partake in now.

I'm sorry...



Yeah...
I heard that
when you're
giving a present
to someone,
giving something
that you'd be
happy to have
yourself is a
good idea.

That
sounds
rather
wonder-
ful!

I need
to buy a
souvenir for
Buntline
as well...

How
about
we take
a walk?



How
about *not*
considering
it based on
Astra-sama's
tastesPPP

I'd be
"super
happy" if
I had them

What do you
think about
coloured shelves,
S-shaped hooks,
and storage
items helpful for
daily living?



Gor



Yeah. We were
looking around
too slowly
yesterday, so
we couldn't visit
many places.



Astra-sama,
Noah-chan!
Are you two
heading out?



Go



Ab-
about
that...

...Come to
think of it, I
wonder if Gor
Gor's doing okay...
Wouldn't he
feel pressured
from being in an
area he's not
used to...?



Waka Senbei are a type of Japanese rice crackers.

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Um...
Erm...

A... a
Western
tail...

Eh!

Noah, is there
anywhere you'd
like to stop by?
We're heading
home today, so
let's drop by
wherever it is
you wish to go.

Pointe

You
have it
wrong!!
It's not
for Astra-
cania's
clothes!

If
you're
talking
about my
uniform,
I ain't
taking
it off!

!

I'd like
to... try
visiting a
Western
tailor...

...I see...
Well... You
are a girl,
after all...
Mhm...

Ju-Just
looking
is fine,
so... I was
thinking of
going for
once...

Um... A
store with
lots of cute
Western
clothes... My
hometown
doesn't have
those sorts
of stores...
Erm...

Are
you
sure
...!?

...Okay. Then,
go pick a piece
of clothing
you like. I'll buy
it for you.

Pointe





Astra-
sama?

Um....!



Uh...?

Well then,
Noah. I don't
suppose I could
get you to
come with me
somewhere I'd
like to go next
time, could I?



Oh
hey,
we're
here.

Just
where
are
you-

...
!!



Wow



What for?

...Fufu. Though, I'm glad.

What a wondrous town this is!

...It's really pretty.

This high hill here... is a secret spot that can only be reached from a street nobody uses.



I figured Astra-sama... wouldn't be alone.

But, everyone in the Chikairic Order are nice people, and warm-hearted...

That's why, I was somewhat thinking that this would've been a more cold-hearted town.

That ten years ago, you survived alone.

Astra-sama... You said it before, didn't you?



If I didn't have them, I really would've been alone.

...Eh...

...I... had good subordinates.

...You're right. You've certainly made a good point.



...it was fun during our apprenticeship. We trained together, studied together...

He and I enrolled in the Chivalric Order at the same time.



...I had a friend that I was well-acquainted with since my childhood.



Don't flatter yourself!

Flatter? ...? What do you mean?

Astra ...

And when I became the Captain, he exploded.

But, after I was promoted to the 1st Company first, his attitude started to change...



...it phases me off how you pretended to be a good boy like that...

A talented son of a bitch will never understand the feelings of an ordinary person...



"Looked down upon you? Wh-what are you talking about?"

Stop acting dumb all the time! I'm sure in reality, in that heart of yours, you're always looked down upon me!

We've been friends since long ago, haven't we? There no way I'd-

"Friends"?

"Child-hood buddies" I?

Astra...
I...
despise
your
talent.

Don't Fuck
with me...
I'm already
fed up...
with making
Genius-sama
look good!!

I was
just... saving
money...
to buy a
house...!!

I was only
pouring in my
efforts for
the sake of
my goal...

Please
wait! I...
You have
it wrong!
I don't
have any
talent...!

And that's
where it started.
That is, how I
refused to show my
face to the public,
refused to take off
my uniform, and
refused to open
my heart to
anyone.

Eventually,
other units
gradually started
avoiding me to
follow suit.

My
words
didn't get
through to
him.



I even considered inviting him over as the very first after buying my house.

...I thought we were best friends.

Whenever I finished work, I would hold silly conversations with him as we grabbed a light meal at a street stall, and then we would train together.

...This high hill... In the past, I'd often come with him here.

Of course, being Captain, I've been blessed by both my subordinates and my superiors, so I felt happy.

Yet... This feeling of emptiness has... never been filled throughout my entire life...

I'm now sure that the chances of a day like that arriving is... no longer going to happen.

B-
BUT
...

Why
are you
crying!/?

Uwah
...!!

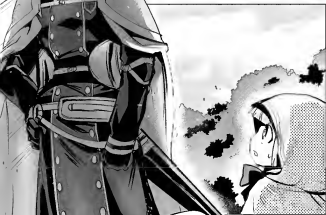
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*Kyah
...!?*



*...Astra...
sama?
What's the
matter?
It's like
the mood
has-*

*...What
did you...
say just
now?*



*Are you an
acquaintance
of his...?*



*What's
up with
you...*



*Don't
ever...*

*mention
that name
in front
of me!!*

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■ Elise's Secret

Although she appears apathetic to others, she actually has a very strong interest in romance. She likes reading pure love stories, and even though she hides them in the corner of her bookshelf, she doesn't realize that Noah reads them when she's not there.



■ Buntline's Secret

Has an interest in raising cacti. His house has various types of cacti pots. He also sells medicinal cacti to Riff.

■ Riff's Secret

Up until three years ago, she was an adventurer who was aspiring to becoming a sorceress. It was on her last adventure that her major turning point to becoming a toolmaker came, but she never speaks of that day's events to anyone.





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